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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 3761**

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For: REGISTRATION OF FLUID CIRCUIT COMPONENTS IN A BLOOD  
TREATMENT DEVICE

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 16, 2008, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.